

8 MAY 1981

MEMORANDUM FOR: Office of General Counsel

ATTENTION:

FROM:

Director of Security

SUBJECT: Further Action in Implementation of
Executive Order 12036

REFERENCE: Memorandum from C/ILB/OGC, dated 1 May 1981,
same subject (OGC 81-03633)

1. I have reviewed your proposal and do not believe that it is necessary for me to designate any emergency approval authority with respect to physical surveillance in the United States. Both I and the Deputy Director of Security, as well as anyone serving in our positions in an acting capacity, have the authority to approve a physical surveillance in the United States orally when necessary.

2. I cannot conceive of a situation in which the Office of Security would need to resort to additional approval authority beyond the above to initiate an emergency physical surveillance.

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